

ANNUAL REPORT

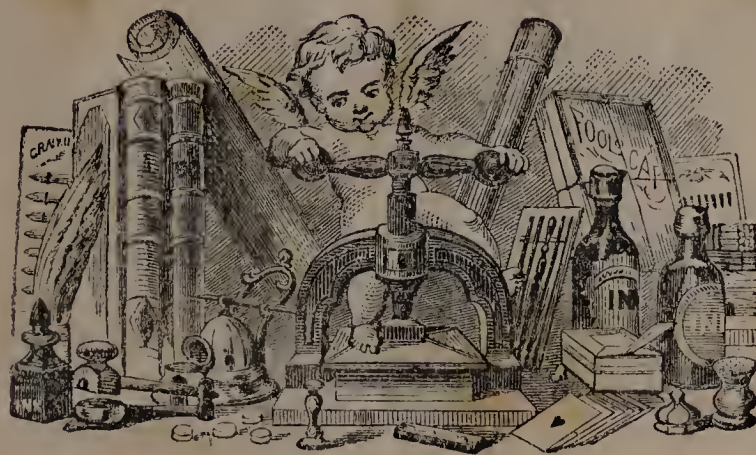
—OF THE—

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor,

—OF THE—

TOWN OF HARWICH,

FOR THE YEAR 1877.



HARWICH:
INDEPENDENT PRINTING ESTABLISHMENT
1878.

REPORT.

SUPPLIES FOR THE ALMSHOUSE.

Keeper's Wages.	\$208	33	By C. F. Parker,	\$12	75
By C. S. Hunt,	22	11	F. B. Long,	3	60
Bakers & Eldridge,	11	70	H. P. Fish Weir Co.,	4	65
John McCrum,	4	50	Moses Hendren,	1	25
H. Kelley & Co,	127	44	R. E. Holmes & Son,	61	74
Allen S. Joseph,	3	25	Warren Freeman,	10	42
Crowell Nickerson,	48	65	D. F. Weekes,	24	61
B. F. Robbins,	2	55	J. K. Robbins,	80	52
Lindsay Nickerson,	113	03	Varanus Nickerson,	3	75
Nath'l Robbins,	184	36	Erastus Allen,		75
Zeph. Nickerson,	25	03	Geo. D. Smalley,	7	35
B. D. Eldridge,	1	25	S. B. Kelley,	1	47
A. C. Snow,	24	12	F. A. Small,	17	40
J. O. Baker,	92	56	Paddock Small,	6	27
Z. D. Eldredge,	2	80	Ozias Bassett,	1	00
John A. Baker,	8	50	Nathan Ellis,	31	80
John P. Eldredge,	2	25	Ebenezer Eldridge,	11	00
C. E. Brett,	120	61	Sidney Underwood,	5	35
Nathaniel Doane,	4	00			
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					\$1292 72

POOR SUPPLIED OUT OF ALMSHOUSE.

Mrs. Richard Glin-		Matthew Nickerson's	
den,	\$107 08	Children,	\$69 00
Revarado A. Chase,	50 00	John Barry's children,	56 22
Sophia Davis,	9 35	Lewis Smith,	20 00
Elijah Nickerson,	40 25	Thankful Baker and	
Mrs. P. W. Kenney,	68 00	daughter,	171 99
William Norris' fami-		Phoebe Y. Chase,	79 75
ly,	77 00	Lydia Robbins,	85 00
John Hughes,	46 56	Nancy Nickerson,	52 00
Lemuel Phillips,	67 00	Abraham Shuster,	90 91
Mrs. Rosanna Ellis,	98 00	Nancy Eldredge,	54 94
Anna Eldredge,	13 00	Sabina Cahoon,	78 00
Mrs. Sarah Phillips &		Mrs. Ezra Smith,	90 10
daughter,	137 15	Nathan Hall,	41 00
Lizzie Cahoon's fami-		Lyman Ryder,	17 00
ly,	116 09	Pauline Hamilton,	46 25
Maria Baker's chil-		Elnathan Eldridge,	23 71
dren,	52 00	Archelus Phillips,	43 30
William Wixon,	23 03	Etta Bassett,	32 00
Isaiah Snow,	54 00	Elizabeth Hanwell,	86 00
Gilman Hook,	106 22	Susannah Walker,	90 80
Love A. Thomas,	23 27	Cornelius Eldridge,	59 25
Fanny Coombs,	10 38	John Y. Baker,	22 64
Rosanna Vincent,	114 49	Isaiah Smith,	8 00
Barzilla Nickerson,	41 69	Esther Wixon,	134 00
Judith Allen,	47 28	Seth Snow and wife,	54 00
Susie Paine,	56 00	Catherine Chase,	26 50
J. O. Brien,	171 56	Seth B. Wixon's wife,	12 25
Desiah Chase,	14 88	Reliance Loveland,	30 00
Jane Nickerson,	53 00	Emily Nickerson,	70 50
Samantha Hall,	36 55	Mrs. Benj. Souter,	13 81
Luther Chase,	44 90	Edwin Nickerson,	20 00
Ensign Chase and wife,	7 00	David Thomas,	10 00
Nancy Burgess,	7 25	Elnathan Ellis,	6 55
Esther Chase,	43 00	Mary Chase,	10 00
Simeon Y. Nickerson,	30 00	Mrs. James Charles,	8 75
Smith Rogers,	23 50	Edwin L. Chase,	30 00
Luther Nickerson,	11 00	Samuel Taylor,	9 35
Mehitable Cahoon,	20 00	Mrs. Luke Kaley,	3 50
Horace S. Favor,	20 00	Horatio Jacob's	
Henry Tucker,	25 00	children,	12 00

Thankful Chase,	\$7 00	Eliza A. Handy, house	
Freeman Gage,	26 00	rent,	\$30 00
Hiram Eldredge,	5 00		
Hezekiah Moody,	10 00		<u>\$3712 55</u>

SUPPORTED IN LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Lucy A. Eldredge,	\$202 60
Thankful Chase,	89 95
	<u>\$292 55</u>

POOR SUPPLIED FOR OTHER TOWNS.

David Chipman, for Boston,	\$60 00
Lorenzo J. Nickerson's wife, for Sandwich,	77 85
Hannah Gardner, for Nantucket,	30 00
Charlotte Higgins, settlement undecided,	31 00
Betsey Y. Stacy, for Brewster,	13 00
Benj. Ellis, for Nantucket,	3 00
	<u>\$214 85</u>

SCHOOLS.

HARWICH CENTRE.—Books,	\$3 78
Teacher's Wages,	832 50
Fuel,	43 70
Repairs,	37 71
Janitor's Wages,	62 25
	<u>\$979 94</u>

WEST HARWICH.—Teacher's Wages,	\$650 00
Repairs,	51 96
Fuel,	33 12
Janitor's Wages,	42 00
	<u>\$777 08</u>

EAST HARWICH.—	Teacher's Wages,	\$584 00
	Repairs,	43 54
	Fuel,	34 25
	Janitor's Wages,	70 00
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		\$731 79
BASSETTS.—	Teacher's Wages,	\$308 50
	Repairs,	17 81
	Fuel,	16 08
	Janitor's Wages,	35 40
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		\$377 79
NORTH HARWICH.—	Teacher's Wages,	\$572 50
	Repairs,	28 19
	Fuel,	31 00
	Janitor's Wages,	46 00
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		\$677 69
HARWICH PORT.—	Teacher's Wages,	\$850 00
	Repairs,	59 97
	Fuel,	30 25
	Janitor's Wages,	49 00
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		\$989 22
SOUTH HARWICH.—	Teacher's Wages,	\$590 00
	Repairs,	30 31
	Fuel,	28 16
	Janitor's Wages,	42 00
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		\$690 47
Total for Schools,		\$5223 98

REPAIRS OF BRIDGES.

Bass River Bridge,	\$27 30
H. Nickerson's " "	1013 83
Cove " "	18 47
Hall's " "	7 95
Annis " "	3 00
Walker's " "	19 31
E. Chase's " "	11 03
M. Kelley's " "	5 47
Bell's Neck " "	1 08
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	\$1107 44
S. Crowell's	4 00
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	\$1111 44

REPAIRS OF HIGHWAYS.

By Alden B. Nickerson, Surveyor,	\$208 21
" Elisha Snow, " "	266 13
" Leonard Robbins, " "	158 21
" Wm. H. Underwood, " "	262 12
" Joel B. Cahoon, " "	150 85
" Nathan H. Chase, " "	116 55
" Alvin Cahoon, " "	107 50
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	\$1269 57

ROADS.

Brewster Road, new,	\$2283 52
South Harwich Road,	49 89
Harwich Centre Road,	6 30
Harwich Port Road,	29 82
Hardening Road from Centre to H. Sissons,	323 05
Wm. M. Eldredge's Road, new,	28 50
Hardening near H. Nickerson's Bridge,	42 50
North Harwich Road,	10 05
Ambrose N. Doane's Road, new,	67 00
East Harwich Road, new,	96 38
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	\$2937 01

Clearing Snow,	\$214 65
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TOWN OFFICERS.

Isaiah Chase, Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor,	\$150 00
Zeph. Nickerson, do., do.,	150 00
W. B. Kelley, do., do.,	157 00
Gilson P. Ellis, Counstable services,	3 00
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	\$460 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Going with Hearse,	\$81 60
Lock for Pound,	1 00
G. N. Munsell, M. D.,	87 50
A. P. Goss, Printing and Stationery,	92 60
Zeph. Nickerson, School Committee 1876,	26 25
E. Harris, " " "	7 00
B. F. Bee, " " "	26 00
Nath'l Doane, " " "	55 00
Stationery, Postage and Expressage,	7 50
William Ryder, damage to Carriage,	6 25
Rent of Social Hall,	40 00
Deeds and Recording,	2 50
Travelling Expenses on Pauper Account,	13 10
Collector's Books,	2 25
Book for list of voters,	2 48
School Books.	2 88
House and Lot, East Harwich,	48 25
George A. King, Legal Advice,	15 00
S. S. Baker for list of Vessel Property,	5 00
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	\$522 17

RECAPITULATION.

Poor in Almshouse,	\$1292 72
" out "	3712 55
Supported in Lunatic Asylum,	292 55
Poor Supplied for other Towns,	214 85
Town Schools,	5223 98

Repairs of Bridges,	\$1111	44
Surveyor's Bills,	1269	57
Roads,	2937	01
Clearing Snow,	214	65
Town Officers,	460	00
Miscellaneous	522	17
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	\$17251	49

In payment of the same the Selectmen have drawn orders on the Treasurer to the amount of the above sum viz: Seventeen thousand two hundred fifty-one 49-100 dollars.

Respectfully Submitted,

ISAIAH CHASE,
ZEPHANIAH NICKERSON,
WATSON B. KELLEY,

Harwich January 11th, 1878.

**FREEMAN SNOW, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH
TOWN OF HARWICH 1877, Dr.**

Cash on hand at last settlement,	\$5265	73
Received from State School Fund,	248	90
Town of Falmouth,	70	38
Boston on account of D. Chipman,	45	00
Yarmouth on account of W. Taylor,	21	00
The State on account of O'Brien,	65	00
Sale of T. Allen's Homestead,	152	74
New England Trust Co. for Note,	3932	00
Use of Herring Brook	290	00
W. B. Kelley for Note,	800	00
State for Corporation Tax,	229	94
do. for Bank Tax	312	02
do. " State Aid of 1876	769	54
Sale of Joel B. Cahoon's land,	21	00
Orleans on account of W. Wixon's wife	14	00
C. H. Nye, Dog Fund,	121	49
Peddler's Licenses,	20	00
Auctioneer's Licenses,	6	00
F. H. Roger's Note,	5	00

Received from M. F. Nickerson tax books of 1874,	\$14	71
do. do. 1875	804	23
do. do. 1876,	4995	65
including C. C. N. B. Tax, 1877,	17416	04
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	\$35620	37

**FREEMAN SNOW, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH
TOWN OF HARWICH 1877, Cr.**

Paid Expressage,	\$1	95
Interest on Bonds and Notes,	1959	66
New England Trust Co. for Note,	4000	00
State Tax,	975	00
Paid County Tax,	1109	83
State Tax on C. C. National Bank,	5535	88
For Bond No. 9 at New Bedford,	2000	00
Recording 39 Marriages,	7	80
“ 60 Deaths,	21	00
“ 73 Births	36	50
Blanks, Stamps etc., etc.,	8	48
Outstanding Orders of 1876,	54	46
On orders of 1877,	17183	19
On State Aid Orders of 1877,	935	75
Salary for 1877,	75	00
Committees Services,	12	00
Cash on hand,	1703	87
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	\$35620	37

Harwich January 15th, 1878.

Respectfully Submitted,
 ISAIAH CHASE,
 DANFORTH S. STEEL, } Committee.
 ERASTUS CHASE,

**LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN OF HARWICH JAN. 1st,
1878.**

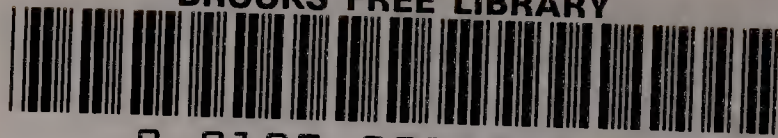
C. K. Allen's Note,	\$2000	00
I. Chase's do.,	1300	00
Cyrus Ellis' do.,	1000	00
Mrs. E. B. Small's do.,	1000	00

Lovell S. Burgess' note,	\$1000 00
Sidney Books' do.,	1000 00
State Treasurer,	10000 00
Bonds in New Bedford,	10000 00
Outstanding orders of 1877,	68 30
Schools for 1878,	5000 00
Pauper account abroad,	400 00
New Roads by County Commissioners,	600 00
Estimated premiums for collection,	500 00
do Discounts and remittances,	500 00
W. B. Kelley's note,	800 00
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	\$35168 30

**RESOURCES OF THE TOWN OF HARWICH, JAN. 1st,
1878.**

Due on F. H. Roger's Note,	\$35 00
Tax Bills of 1876,	2706 00
do., do., 1877,	9489 00
Herring Brook for 1878,	290 00
State Aid for 1877,	935 75
House and lot in North Harwich,	125 00
On Pauper's for other towns,	200 00
Cash in Treasurer's hands,	1700 00
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Resources,	\$15480 75
Liabilities,	35168 30
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Net Debt Jan 1st 1878,	\$19687 55
do do 1877,	22589 46
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Decrease of debt in 1877,	\$2901 91

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